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SENATE BILL 433 By  
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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 62-18-109,  
relative to qualifications for land surveyor.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 62-18-109, is amended by  
designating the existing language as subsection (a) and by adding the following language to be  
designated as subsection (b):

(b) Effective July 1, 2003, no person shall be eligible for registration as a  
professional land surveyor unless such person satisfies all requirements in any one of  
the following three (3) categories:

CATEGORY A

1. Obtains a baccalaureate degree from a surveying or surveying  
technology curriculum of four (4) or more years, approved by the board;
2. Passes an eight (8) hour written exam, Fundamentals of Land  
Surveying, selected by the board, acknowledges as PLSIT;
3. Submits evidence that such person has obtained a total of two (2)  
years of progressive experience on surveying projects working under the  
supervision of a licensed surveyor; and
4. Passes both written exams, Principles and Practice of Land Surveying  
and the Tennessee State Jurisdictional Exam, both selected by the board.

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## CATEGORY B

1. Obtains a baccalaureate degree from a science, engineering, or technology curriculum of four (4) or more years related to the practice of land surveying, approved by the board, plus an additional twenty-four (24) semester hours of board-approved coursework in the surveying sciences;

2. Passes an eight (8) hour written exam, Fundamentals of Land Surveying, selected by the board, acknowledges as PLSIT;

3. Submits evidence that such person has obtained a total of two (2) years of progressive experience on surveying projects working under the supervision of a licensed surveyor; and

4. Passes both written exams, Principles and Practice of Land Surveying and the Tennessee State Jurisdictional Exam, both selected by the board.

## CATEGORY C

1. Obtains a baccalaureate degree from a non-surveying-related curriculum of four (4) or more years, approved by the board, plus an additional thirty-six (36) semester hours of board-approved coursework in the surveying sciences;

2. Passes an eight (8) hour written exam, Fundamentals of Land Surveying, selected by the board, acknowledges as PLSIT;

3. Submits evidence that such person has obtained a total of two (2) years of progressive experience on surveying projects working under the supervision of a licensed surveyor; and

4. Passes both written exams, Principles and Practice of Land Surveying and the Tennessee State Jurisdictional Exam, both selected by the board.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 1997, the public welfare requiring it.